



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
January 3, 2007

Applicant(s): Wenjie DENG
For : POWERED SURGICAL HANDPIECE WITH PRECISION
SUCTION CONTROL

Serial No. : 10/047 742 Group: 3731
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

Sir:

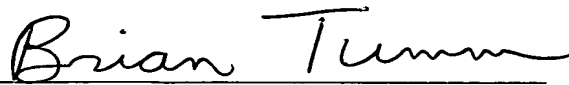
Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the
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finally rejecting Claims 1-7, 9, 29, 30 and 33.

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[X] Appeal fee:

[X] \$500.00 (large entity).

[] \$250.00 (small entity).

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[] Attached.

[] Previously filed.

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